

DELITE THEATER
—TODAY—
Anita Stewart in
"THE ROSE OF THE SEA"
One of the ten best pictures of the
year. Also a good comedy.
—WEDNESDAY—
Earl Williams in Downing Street
and "BREAKING THROUGH"

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"THE CROW'S NEST"
"BREAKING THROUGH" and a
Star Comedy.
—WEDNESDAY—
Katherine McDonald in
"THE WOMAN'S SIDE"
And a Paul Parrott Comedy.

ISOLATION OF RUHR VALLEY NEW FRENCH PLAN

Norris Paves Way For Sharp Fight On Shoals

NITRATE PLANT FUND IS SOUGHT

Nebraska Senator Asks
Colleagues For Two
More Millions

FORD ADVOCATES EXPECT TO FIGHT

Seen As Step in Norris
Scheme of Operation
By Government

(Associated Press.)

WASHINGTON, Jan. 23.—Introduction by Senator Norris, Republican, Nebraska, of an amendment to the army appropriation bill, proposing an appropriation of \$2,000,000 for the developments of nitrate plant No. 1 at Muscle Shoals, Ala., today paved the way for a sharp contest later in the senate over the Muscle Shoals project.

The bill as received from the house carries an appropriation of \$6,998,000 for continuing the work on Dam No. 2, and an authorization of \$10,500,000 and additional for locks and dams, but Senator Norris' amendment would establish a new fund for government development of the power project.

Opponents of government development and advocates of acceptance of the offer of Henry Ford are expected to enter strong protest to the Norris amendment, whose author has a bill pending for government operation of the entire project. The amendment provides that the additional \$2,000,000 should be expended for installation of new machinery in the nitrate plant, for experimental purposes in extracting nitrogen from the air and for the manufacture of fertilizer.

PROBE ORDERED.

(Associated Press.)

WASHINGTON, Jan. 23.—Investigation of the calcium arsenate industry by the federal trade commission was ordered today by the senate in adopting a resolution by Senator Fletcher, Democrat, Florida. The commission was directed to report whether there was any violation of the anti trust laws in the manufacture or distribution of calcium arsenate used in fighting the cotton boll weevil.

DELAY IN PRESENTATION.

MONTGOMERY, Ala., Jan. 23.—(Special)—Restrictions of the state constitution probably will prevent citizens of Alabama from authorizing a bond issue for the development of the seaport until late in the year. Official announcement Sunday of Sidney J. Bowie and H. K. Milner, joint chairmen of the seaport campaign committee, that the amendment ratified in November did not provide for a bond issue and that another amendment would be necessary, will force a delay of about a year in the working out of final plans.

Fire in a Hollow Tree at Hospital Worries Firemen

Persistent efforts of the Albany fire department have finally succeeded in extinguishing flames in a large hollow tree located near the Benevolent hospital. A call was sent in late Saturday afternoon, with the information that the tree, which was a large oak, caught fire from the burning of grass by attendants who were clearing up the grounds near the hospital. The department responded and two hours were put in trying to extinguish the flames, which had penetrated far into the hollow tree, and along one of the large limbs that was also hollow. Until Sunday morning, it was believed the fire was extinct, when another call from hospital brought the information that the tree was still burning. Chief Sorber responded, and with the aid of the heavy downpour of rain succeeded in making an end of the persistent fire.

Royal Princess Recovers \$250,000 Jewels In America



Mr. and Mrs. W.B. Leeds

When Mr. and Mrs. William B. Leeds motored to Montclair, N. J., to dine with Mr. and Mrs. Henderson Green, Mrs. Leeds left \$250,000 worth of jewels in a taxicab, where they were later found by detectives. Mr. Leeds is the son of Princess Anastasia, of Greece, widow of the American "Tin Plate King." Mrs. Leeds was Princess Xenia, of Russia, daughter of Grand Duchess Marie, herself a sister of ex-King Constantine of Greece. Grand Duchess Marie recently relinquished her rank and married, at Wiesbaden, Germany, Captain Ioannides, of the Greek Navy.

Heart Throbs In Organization Against Continuance of the Whipping Statute

(Associated Press.)

MONTGOMERY, Ala., Jan. 23.—In the heart throbs column—The Voice of the People—there appeared recently the unburdening of a human soul that runs the gamut of all human emotions as a result of the discussion over the proposed bill to abolish corporal punishment in the Alabama public schools.

This proponent of the no-whipping bill is William V. Petrich, a well known Birmingham man.

After recounting at length many arguments in favor of more humane treatment for children in the school and in the home he declares that no man or woman has "any more right to bruise, blister or put stripes upon your child's tender back than he or she has in striking or killing a neighbor."

He quotes the old Solomon adage about sparing the rod and continues, "In Solomon's time every man who knows anything knows they did not whip children," and he says further, "If what Solomon says was good, why not take unto yourself more than one wife. He had many."

Then the finale of Mr. Petrich's argument:

"I remember the father of two children—a boy and a girl. The mother had died when the boy was nine. The 'Spanish Cane' occupied a prominent place in that home and the father used it without stint or mercy. The boy ran away at the age of fourteen and was gone a year, when he returned to take his sister away from that home of misery, pain and unhappiness. But when he arrived he found the sister very ill. The neighbors told him she had been ill for several months and no longer able to do the allotted housework, the father had whipped her severely many times. Two days later the sister died in the brother's arms. And there besides the deathbed of the beloved sister the boy swore vengeance—vengeance against his own father. He would go away again, but return when he would be a man, and—

"I shudder to this day to think of the tragedy that might have happened one night as the boy grown to manhood, again crossed the threshold of his father's house and there awaited his return. But somewhere from out the darkness, the stillness and gloom of night two little hands reached out to him and he heard his sister's voice pleading with him: 'No, No; you must not! he heard her say, 'Come away, God understands.'"

"Years passed during which the father wrote many letters to the son, but the son would throw them into the fire unopened. Three months ago a telegram announced the illness of the father, begging the son to come, but he did not go. The father died last Dec. 29 and the son did not even send a wreath to adorn the grave of the man who had wrecked his life and indirectly caused the death of his sister whom he had loved above every one else in the world. What a tragedy, and—I am the son of that man."

PROVISION OF LEASE BILL IS EXPLAINED

(Montgomery Bureau, Albany-Decatur Daily.)

MONTGOMERY, Ala., Jan. 23.—Debate in the House Friday on the bill extending the convict lease system until 1927 or until the governor is able to provide other employment for the convicts now used in mining coal developed the fact that the public mind has made abandonment of the lease system and abandonment of coal mining by convicts synonymous terms.

An investigation of the law providing for the abolition of the convict lease system at the end of 1923 and of previous practices in the handling of convict labor in Alabama has developed the fact that the state may continue to mine coal with convict labor and yet discontinue the system of leasing convicts to coal companies. It further developed the fact that at least one administration in Alabama has mined coal with convict labor without maintaining the lease system.

The law abolishing the lease system does not abolish coal mining by convict labor. It merely provides that after December 31, 1923, no convicts shall be leased to private interests. It goes no further. The abolition section is attached to a law giving the state the right, if found practicable, to mine coal on coal lands of the University of Alabama.

Civic Organization Is Incorporated

(Montgomery Bureau, Albany-Decatur Daily.)

MONTGOMERY, Ala., Jan. 23.—Notice of the incorporation of two business companies and one commercial organization in Alabama was received by S. H. Blan, secretary of state today. In addition, the department was notified that Huggar Brothers Gravel Company of Montgomery had changed its name to the Alabama Sand and Gravel Company with headquarters at Montgomery.

The Wallace Saunders Company of Abbeville, Henry county, will engage in the general mercantile business with a paid in capital of \$6,000. The Malone Coal Company of Albany will do a general coal and feeding business with a capital of \$15,000.

The Albany-Decatur Chamber of Commerce was incorporated for the purpose of furthering the interests of the twin-cities of Morgan county. It is composed of business men of the two cities and will have no capital stock.

MANY CASES TRIED.

Five cases were tried in the Albany police court this morning, a total of \$47 being assessed in fines.

LABORATORY TO OPEN ON FRIDAY

Formal Exercises To Feature Opening Of The Health Unit

MISS ELDERIDGE TO HAVE CHARGE

Public Will Be Invited To Attend Opening Ceremonies

The opening exercises for the Tennessee Valley laboratory have been set for Friday afternoon and night, according to Dr. B. F. Austin, county health officer.

Miss Nina Eldridge, who will be in direct control of the laboratory, with Miss Brockway, who will be her assistant, are both expected in the Twin Cities from Montgomery today. They will be given an opportunity in the next day or so to get acquainted and to have the laboratory set up according to their ideas.

According to Dr. Austin Miss Eldridge is highly recommended as one of the best trained and most experienced technicians of the entire country. She was graduated with the degree of A. B. from Colorado college, and later took two years training in New York city under Park, the well known chemist. Miss Eldridge was then appointed to take charge of a tuberculosis hospital laboratory on Staten Island, near New York city.

Some years ago Miss Eldridge was secured by the medical board of Pike county to take charge of the county laboratory at Troy. It was at Troy that Dr. L. C. Havens of the state board of health saw the excellent results being attained by Miss Eldridge, and persuaded her to accept the position of technician for the Tennessee Valley Laboratory.

Miss Brockway has been employed for some time with the state health department at Montgomery, and her experience will render her valuable to the work here.

The opening exercises for the laboratory will be informal in character, and they will begin at 1 o'clock Friday. According to Dr. Austin, the retiring county health officer, and Dr. McRae, who succeeds Dr. Austin on February 1, all the people of this section are invited to the opening, when full explanations will be given by members of the new laboratory and of the county health forces. The people are advised that in case the crowds are such that all cannot get explanations on Friday and Friday evening, that other days will be set apart later, when all who care to do so can get acquainted with the workings of both the laboratory and of the county health unit—both departments being under the same roof.

The following will be in charge of the health unit and the Tennessee Valley laboratory after February 1: Dr. H. C. McRae, County Health Officer; Mrs. Vera Austelle, Office Assistant; Miss Ella Dale, county health nurse; J. M. Holly, sanitary inspector; Col. W. D. Wrightson, sanitary engineer; Miss Nina Eldridge, laboratory technician; Miss Brockway, assistant technician.

NEW BILL PROPOSED.

MONTGOMERY, Ala., Jan. 23.—(Special)—An administration bill will be introduced in Legislature Tuesday afternoon providing for the creation of a state convict department and for the establishment of a board of convict inspectors. Under the proposal Governor Brandon will be an ex-officio member and the other two members will be appointive. This bill will carry out the suggestion of Governor Brandon in his first message that the state board of control and economy be abolished.

COUNCIL TO MEET.

The Albany city council meets in regular session tonight, when the regular monthly bills will be presented for approval, and such other business transacted as may come before the council.

MISSING MAN'S BROTHER TALKS

He Is Unable, However, To Give Place Of His Brother's Home

LETTER STAMPED, NOT POSTMARKED

Teggerstrom Witness At Open Hearing In Masked Band Probe

(Associated Press.)

BASTROP, La., Jan. 23.—Clarence Teggerstrom, brother of Harold Teggerstrom, missing time keeper of the Southern Carbon company at Spyker, who disappeared on December 29 and for whom the state of Louisiana has been searching in connection with its investigation into masked bands in Morehouse parish, took the stand this forenoon at the opening hearing.

"Do you know where your brother, Harold, is?" he was asked.

"I do not."

"Where did you last hear from him?"

"I received a letter January 10."

"Where is the letter?"

"I destroyed it."

Teggerstrom was given the letter by Dean Ashcraft, an employee of the Southern Carbon company at Spyker, who said Superintendent S. I. Bennett had found it in the company mail box. The envelope bore a two cent stamp, but no postmark.

Harold's letter, Teggerstrom testified, declared he was safe and sound and in comfortable quarters and he would be ready to return about the 20th, when the state wanted him and would "testify for Mr. Jeff." "Mr. Jeff," he understood to be a Mr. Burnett, former Morehouse, deputy sheriff and employee of the carbon company and now at liberty under \$5,000 bail. Burnett was arrested on a murder charge last month in connection with the kidnapping of Watt Daniel and T. F. Richard.

Business Building Site Is Sold Today

J. F. McPeak, of Austinville, has purchased a business lot from Sivley and Sandlin, located on Moulton street, just west of the Sivley and Sandlin hardware store, and west of the building now occupied by the Garnett Grocery store. The lot is said to be 25x140 feet. It was also announced that Mr. McPeak will build a new store on his property, beginning at once.

The new building will be 25x100 feet. S. H. Bradley, now a prominent merchant of Austinville will occupy the building and open a general store as soon as it is ready for occupancy.

Cooking Methods Are Demonstrated

A demonstration on latest cooking methods by the Alabama Power Company, directed by local manager T. L. Beauchamp, will be made day by day in a building opposite the Daily beginning Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock and continuing each day until Friday evening. It is claimed for the new cooking methods, that every thing of an objectionable nature in cooking is eliminated by them. Demonstration lunches will be served from 3 o'clock each day, according to attendants in charge.

BIRD BOOK HONORED.

MONTGOMERY, Ala., Jan. 23.—(Special)—The bird book which is published annually by the state department of conservation has been adopted as a text book at Peabody Institute of Nashville. Announcement of the adoption was received today with the request that the department furnish the institute as many copies as possible. The book is prepared each year by I. T. Quinn, commissioner of conservation, and Miss Sophie Watts, secretary of the department.

Will Try To Fly Around World



Alan J. Cobham

Alan J. Cobham, famous English aviator, is completing arrangements for an attempt to fly around the world, starting on March 24.

JACKSON SPENDS DAY IN TWIN CITIES

A. E. Jackson, who February 15 will assume his duties as superintendent of banks for the state of Alabama, was here on business today. He came up from his home in Hartselle and will return today. Mr. Jackson stated that while he would not be in active charge of the state banking department until next month that he was getting in touch with the work as much as possible. He stated that he would make his home in Montgomery, but that he would not do so until after the school year closed, as he wished to keep his children in school at Hartselle until the present term is out.

Mr. Jackson is the fourth regular bank superintendent appointed under the law creating the state department in 1911. A. E. Walker was the first superintendent and served 8 years. Mr. Walker was active and painstaking. He is now manager of the Federal Reserve bank at Birmingham and he was originally from Florence.

D. F. Green succeeded Mr. Walker. Mr. Green is a Morgan County reared boy, and is well and favorably known locally. He served one full term of 4 years, and in his fifth year resigned to accept his present position as State Secretary of the Alabama Baptist convention. Mr. Green was succeeded by H. H. Montgomery, who will become president of the City Bank and Trust company of Anniston.

Mr. Jackson succeeds Mr. Montgomery, and has resigned his position as president of the First National Bank of Hartselle.

All the superintendents of banks since 1911 have been North Alabama men with the exception of Mr. Montgomery, who is reported from Montgomery.

In speaking of the original examiners named under A. E. Walker, of which number he was one, W. W. Fussell, vice president of the Tennessee Valley bank stated that James A. Walker, who succeeded him as one of the four examiners, was now cashier of the Federal Reserve bank at New Orleans, that J. L. Griffin, another one of the original examiners, was now president of the First National bank of West Palm Beach, Fla.; J. F. Walker another one of the examiners is now assistant cashier of the National Bank of Commerce, New York City; L. L. Gellerstead another former examiner, now is secretary and treasurer for Ex-Henderson and Son at Troy, Ala.; L. P. Hosmer, still another examiner, is now cashier of the Fifth National Bank of New York City; C. E. Boyd, the last one of the state bank examiners named by Mr. Fussell, is now president of the First National Bank at LaFayette, La.

Mr. Jackson stated that he would have five examiners under him, and that his office would be in the capitol building at Montgomery.

WEATHER.

FOR ALABAMA—Rain and cooler tonight, Wednesday partly cloudy, cooler in the coast.

TIGHTENING OF GRIP LOOMING

British Instructed To Keep Hands Off In Their Area

MAGNATE'S TRIAL PUT OFF TODAY

Anxiety in London Over Activity of French Is Further Emphasized

(Associated Press.)

PARIS, Jan. 23.—The complete isolation of the Ruhr valley, the absolute severance of its communications with the rest of Germany, was announced in government circles today as the next step in the French struggle against German resistance, if that resistance continues.

LONDON, Jan. 23.—The British government has instructed its military representatives on the Rhine not to interfere with the arrests and expulsions being carried out by the French. At the same time the British are instructed not to cooperate with the French in such operations or allow themselves to become involved in any incidents of this nature.

(Associated Press.)

MAYENCE, Jan. 23.—The trial of Fritz Thyssen and the five other industrial magnates arrested in the Ruhr, set for today, has been postponed until 9 o'clock tomorrow morning. It is understood that Dr. Friedrich Grimm, attorney for the men accused of refusing to obey the orders of the French, has pleaded lack of jurisdiction and incompetence of the French court.

LONDON, Jan. 23.—The anxiety, so widespread here, regarding the dangerous situation in the Ruhr, is emphasized by reports that the French are extending their activities to the Cologne area. News of the French order for expulsion of the German officials in the British zone reached London too late for much comment in the morning newspapers but in the few criticisms, there was apparent a disquietude over the prospect that British forces in the Cologne area might be drawn into a fresh conflict with the Germans.

The call for withdrawal of the British troops, which was raised in some quarters when the French first went into the Ruhr, again comes into prominence today. Withdrawal is seriously discussed as one of the steps which Great Britain may be forced to take in order to avoid becoming involved in a menacing situation which the majority opinion here insists this nation must keep out of.

The comment thus far has been emphasized in asserting that Great Britain must maintain the neutrality of the Cologne district.

A report that the French had ordered the expulsion of German finance officers in Cologne reached

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Maker of Shoes Used Celluloid Is Charge of Woman

(Associated Press.)

PARKERSBURG, West. Va., Jan. 23.—It was cold the other day when Mrs. Hugo Moats, of Harrisville, sat down before an open gas fire to warm her feet.

A few minutes later she was startled by an explosion which she says tore off the tip of one of her shoes. Her toes were so badly injured that amputation was necessary.

Today Mrs. Moats filed suit in circuit court here for \$5,000, charging that the manufacturer used celluloid, instead of leather in the inner lining of her shoe tips.

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OF HENRY FORD'S BID
FOR MUSCLE SHOALS.****THE MOST TALKED ABOUT MAN
IN AMERICA OR THE ENTIRE WORLD.**

Barring none—Premiers, Presidents, Generals or even Movie Stars (the baseball season has not opened) the most talked of man in the world is Henry Ford of America.

Mr. Ford may not be quite as wealthy as John D. Rockefeller, despite reports to the contrary, and it is not Ford's wealth that has made him famous. He has not given away as much money as Mr. Rockefeller. Andrew Carnegie was as great a captain of industry as Mr. Ford if not a greater, and Carnegie has given away millions where Ford has given perhaps little; but Ford is much more popular than Mr. Carnegie was while he lived. There are many men in public life who are more spectacular than Mr. Ford, but none of them could draw as big a crowd to a given place as could the Detroit man. There is hardly a community in the whole country, where Ford is not talked about every day. The Ford jokes are told on every train, and by all kinds and conditions of people. It is said there are many men of more attractive and fascinating personality than Mr. Ford, but despite every handicap Ford out-ranks all for popularity. But if there are men as popular as he, no man in America is as conspicuous as Mr. Ford. His prominence is so great that he might become a power in the politics of the nation at any time. He may even be a candidate for the Presidency, according to some writers. It would seem that it is the close intimate touch maintained by Ford with his own personal business, added to his peculiar ideas and their success that accounts for his extreme popularity. The old idea, of business expressed roughly was to buy as cheaply as possible and sell at as high a figure as possible. Ford has said that that idea is all wrong and has set up the doctrine that enough brains can be put into a business to make it pay, even when top prices are paid for producing the article for sale, and for the raw material used. He says that any other principle of action in business does not produce service nor value. He condemns the old method as merely the taking of money out of one pocket and putting it into another pocket. In his recent book Ford says on this point:

"Some of the most successful money-makers of our times have never added one penny-worth to the wealth of men. Does a card player add to the wealth of the world?"

"It is not good management to take profits out of the workers or the buyers; make management produce the profit. Don't cheapen the product; don't cheapen the wage; don't overcharge the public. Put brains into the method, and more brains, and still more brains—do things better than ever before; and by

this means all parties to business are served and benefited."

The people are inclined to believe what Ford says about business is true, and they also believe he would put his ideas into practice at Muscle Shoals if he were allowed to handle and develop that vast enterprise.

CREDIT IS DUE TO MR. FORD.

There is no doubt but that Henry Ford saved Muscle Shoals from the scrap heap, and that the country at large has Mr. Ford to thank for the developing of one of the great water powers of the world. Look back a few years and the interests had made up their minds to bury deep any proposition that would lead to the operating of this project, and it was a question whether a few dollars would be appropriated to continue the work. Well, it's being done, and an appropriation of millions is being made. Splendid will be the results of Mr. Ford having stepped into the breach and splendid will be the benefits to the people whether Congress gives it to the great manufacturer or not. To Mr. Ford is due a rising vote of thanks also to Congressman Almon for his untiring service and aid.

OUR STANDARDIZED NATION.

A few years ago emitting one of the characteristically explosive comments which helped to make his fame. Lord Northcliffe, greatest of newspaper publishers, told a New York audience that the population of the United States was made of 100,000,000 "white Chinese."

There was no thought of contempt in Northcliffe's mind; no one knew and appreciated the power, resources and valuable traits of the American people more keenly than he. What he meant was that standardization, regulation and unification had robbed the Americans of their birthright of individuality.

If that could have been said with a degree of truth years ago, before the war, what might now be said along the same line?

Regulation and unification and standardization have all but gone mad in their control over our people. From end to end and top to bottom of the country we are a nation of standardized units. A stranger, suddenly set down in Des Moines, Wichita, Binghamton, Pueblo, Wheeling or Glens Falls, could not tell one from the other.

From a business point of view, and from the standpoint of nationality, this is not so bad. But we need to fight with might and main against the extension of this sort of thing over whatever inner citadel contains the heart and soul. When thoughts, minds and opinions are standardized the averaging is commonly done upon the basis of the least intelligent.—Albany Knickerbocker Press.

Wonder if Mr. Coue could apply his word formula successfully to the weather, and could he not make it pay debts.

The meanest man in earth or hades is the one who can get as much pleasure out of the pain of his enemy as the enemy gets pain.

When the murder fest stories drift over to near the back page—it will be a sign that the public is fed up on blood sensations.

False sentimentalism cheapens human life makes property values uncertain, and causes the speeders to feel free to run down the pedestrians. A few more stiff fines Messrs Mayors.

The French have the Germans owing them; but could not make them pay. They led them to the coal mines but could not make them dig.

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Edgar Allan Moss.**TO THE OLD GUARD.**

There is nothing more distressing
And there's nothing more depressing
Than to think of all you've seen and
All you know;
When you're out with real live chickens,
There is nothing that so sickens
As to "cackle" when you really meant
to "crow".

The real reason that a man swears
at a dull razor is that the razor lost
its temper first.

Says Sam: Allus argue with a mule
face to face.

Mr. Edison says that one of the
objections to college graduates is that
they object to work. He ought to
know that they go to college to learn
how to escape work.

The wicked can console themselves
with the thought that there are no
reformers in hades.

THE REAL EEST

"Shall I propose to the girl?"
"Has she given you any encouragement?"
"She likes to ride in my sport car."
"That doesn't mean anything, son.
What is her attitude toward spending
an evening with you at home?"

Germany wants eight hundred billion
marks' worth of grain. About a
bushel and a half.

YOU FIDGETY THING, YOU

Eloise walks in the breeze,
The wind blows about her knees,
But I am here to loudly shout,
It's got something to blow about.

Another objection we have to the
derby hat is that it is coming back.
It always does.

Her (selecting guests for their wedding):
"But, dear, we can't invite
Mrs. Jones—Why, think of her past!"
Him: "Yes, I know, dear but think
of her present."

Amos Tash says the woman can do
almost anything a man can do—except
to marry a nice girl.

KEPT GUESSING

Two young men bowed to a young
lady, she gave them a little smile and
passed on.

Said one: That girl always gives
you a peculiar look when you meet
her. At least, so I think. Am I
wrong?

No, said the other, I think you are
right.

What is it all about?
I'll tell you. At a party five years
ago I almost kissed her. I don't know
whether she is laughing at me or not.

Wonder what makes rumors wild.

MAYBE HE IS

Why isn't a fireman a hose sup-
porter?

Newspaper declares "Ford Shakes
Down Coal Pirates." Probably took
'em to ride in a flivver.

TEN MILES FROM NOWHERE

I saw the anguish on his face,
While great and salty tears he shed,
"What sorrow can be yours?" I cried
"Alas!" he wept, "My engine is
dead."

A woman will object to a tobacco
odor on her husband's coat and then
proceed to fondle a dog that has flees.

**Machines Collide
On Grant Street**

An automobile belonging to S. E.
Ory, and driven by a negro, collided
with a machine driven by Richard
Kelley on Grant street, near the Taver-
nier hotel, late yesterday. Both cars
were badly damaged, but the drivers
were uninjured.

BASIN NEARS COMPLETION.

In ten days time, if good working
weather prevails, the sedimentation
basin of the city water works will
be in commission, according to Man-
ager Hale. He stated this morning
that the basin would have
many times the capacity of the present
sedimentation basins in use, and
that the exact capacity of the new
basin was 1,000,000 gallons.

**Tightening Of
Grip Looming**

(Continued from page 1.)

London in an Essen dispatch to The
Times.

The possibility that the League of
Nations will endeavor to end the
strained situation in the Ruhr is again
discussed by a section of the press
today, although rather with the hope
than with the expectation that such
intervention will materialize.

BERLIN, Jan. 23.—The Bavarian
government has declared it is unable
to longer guarantee the safety of
Emil Dard, French minister, accord-
ing to information received at Reuter
and France has been informed to this
effect by the Berlin government.

BERLIN, Jan. 23.—All the German
custom house officials in Mayence
and Gustavsburg had gone on strike
in protest against the arrest of the
director of custom house office, ac-
cording to reliable information re-
ceived here from the occupied zone.

BERLIN, Jan. 23.—Not a pick was
falling in at least a dozen mines in
the Ruhr valley this afternoon. All
their workmen were on strike in pro-
test against the arrest of the mine
directors. The latest additions to the
ranks of the strikers were the en-
tire forces of Matthias Stinnes' mines
in the Essen district and those of
the Thyssen interests, after the
workers had vainly demanded the re-
lease of Fritz Thyssen and Herr
Spindler.

**Mountain Grade
Being Cut Down**

Those familiar with the county
highways, if they should visit the
scene of Chesnut Grove mountain,
would see a remarkable change tak-
ing place on the road that leads over
the mountain from the Twin Cities
to Danville. Engineer Bingham
some time ago drew a plan whereby
a 5 per cent grade takes the place of
the steep mountain road. Mr. Bing-
ham stated this morning that in a
few weeks when the work is com-
pleted that a horse could trust him-
self to trot down the new road with-
out danger either to himself or to the
driver.

COTTON MARKET.

(Associated Press.)

NEW YORK, Jan. 23.—Cotton fu-
tures opened firm. January 28.05;
March 28.05; May 28.45; July 28.23;
October 26.34.

**Albany Business
Men Are Winners**

The Albany Business Men, winners
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C. A. bowling tournament, got away
to a good start last night in the open-
ing games of the 1923 season, when
they defeated Dr. Baugh's squad
three straights.

The scores follow:

| Albany Business Men's. | |
|------------------------|-------------|
| Austin | 161 157 162 |
| Sorber | 151 146 142 |
| Eggers | 126 158 139 |
| Bloodworth | 147 110 128 |
| Dr. Baugh's Club. | |
| Dr. Baugh | 147 148 155 |
| Ludders | 115 131 104 |
| Geisen | 123 111 109 |
| Goidel | 135 126 119 |

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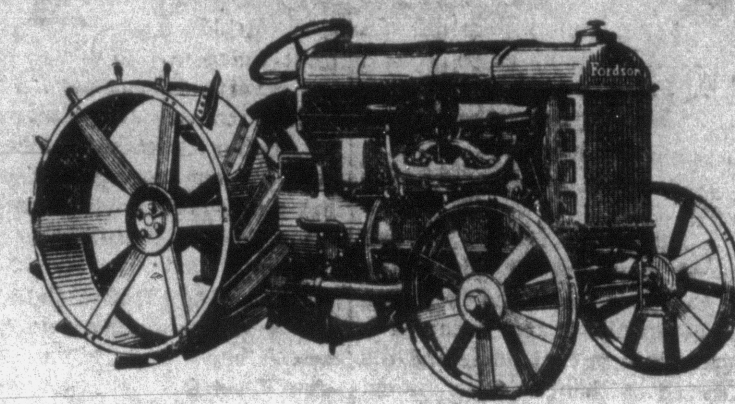
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it with cereals before serving. Many
housewives cook it with cereals, in
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for each person. You will also enjoy
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when it has been sprinkled over hot
or cold cereals.

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adding greatly to the enjoyment of
eating cereals. Eat at least two table-
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cod-liver oil contains,
in abundance, ele-
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the body and assist
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| RESOURCES | LIABILITIES |
|---------------------------------------|------------------------------------|
| Loans and Discounts \$2,161,906.10 | Capital Stock 162,000.00 |
| Commercial paper bought \$122,945.00 | Surplus Fund 162,000.00 |
| Commodity 260,332.10 | Undivided prof. and res. 43,326.93 |
| Call Loans 600,000.00 | Deposits 4,075,756.93 |
| | |
| Stocks and Bonds 161,278.50 | |
| Overdrafts 223.81 | |
| Banking Houses (16) 90,500.00 | |
| Furniture and fixtures (16) 36,750.00 | |
| Real Estate 8,100.00 | |
| Building Account 3,805.22 | |
| Cash and due from banks 997,243.13 | |
| | |
| \$4,443,083.86 | \$4,443,083.86 |

SOCIETY NEWS

Margaret C. Shelton—Phone Decatur 352.

SOCIAL CALENDAR

Tuesday.

Duplicate Bridge Luncheon Club—Mrs. Prent.
Tuesday Afternoon Bridge Club—Mrs. Early Phintzy.
Bridge Club—Mrs. H. May.

Wednesday.

Bridge party 10 a. m.—Miss Marjory Workman and Mrs. Early Phintzy.
Cotaco Literary Club—Mrs. E. R. Wolfe.
Wednesday Card Club—Mrs. P. Humphrey.

Bridge Party for Mrs. John Pointer, of Florence—2:30 p. m.—Mrs. W. K. McNeill.
Berean Club—3 p. m.—Mrs. C. C. Davison on E. Lafayette Street.

Thursday.

Bridge party for Mrs. John Pointer, of Florence—2:30 p. m.—Mrs. W. K. McNeill.
Thursday Club—Mrs. H. H. May.

Auction Bridge Club—Mrs. B. Crawford.

Thursday Rook Club—Mrs. W. A. George.

Friday.

Bridge party for Mrs. Parramore 2 p. m.—Mrs. B. P. Wallace.

Canal Street Rook Club—Mrs. Emmett Himes.

Silk Stocking Club—Mrs. H. D. Greer.

Canal Street Rook Club—Mrs. William Voorhies.

Saturday.

Bridge party 2 p. m.—Mrs. B. P. Wallace.

BRIDGE COMPLIMENT

TO MRS. PARRAMORE.

Mrs. B. P. Wallace will compliment Mrs. Parramore, of Charlotte, N. C., the guest of Miss Nona Morrow, with a bridge party on Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Wallace home on Ferry Street.

Mrs. Wallace will also entertain friends at bridge on Saturday at 2 p. m.

DANCE ON MONDAY EVENING

A delightful dance was enjoyed by about twenty of her friends at the home of Miss Mabel Nesbit on Monday evening.

Between dances, punch and sandwiches were served.

HIKE TO FENNEL SPRINGS.

A happy bunch, chaperoned by Miss Holt, a teacher of the Albany High School, hiked to Fennell Springs on Saturday morning. After a camp fire breakfast, horseback riding and k-dancing were enjoyed by the following: Misses Roberta Winton, Ruth Jackson, Mildred Bell, Katherine Smith, Christine Worley, Louise Almon, Geneva Eubanks, Maxie Speake, Louise Brittain, and Louise Hodges.

Mrs. William Hathorn has returned to her home in Sheffield after a visit to Mrs. William E. Crawford.

Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Fox are visiting Mrs. James Lipscomb in New Orleans.

Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Gailley, of Russellville, Ala., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Myers in West Albany.

PERSONALS

W. W. Rahm is visiting friends and relatives in Kentucky.

Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Crane have returned from a trip to Chicago.

J. P. Matlock leaves tonight for Knoxville, on business. While there it is his intention to hear Billy Sunday, who is now conducting a revival meeting in Knoxville.

W. H. Wilson, who has been ill with pneumonia for some time, is reported to be little improved.

Paul Penney, of Birmingham, a son of J. E. Penney, former townsman of the Twin Cities is in the cities today, the guest of his cousin, Lamar Penney. Paul Penney said that he was only seven years of age when he lived here, but stated that but for considerable growth, the cities still seemed like home to him. He stated that he would like to remain over to-night for the Chamber of Commerce meeting, but that as he was due in Selma tomorrow, he would have to return to Birmingham this afternoon.

Physicians reported this morning that the condition of Isaac Scheer, was improved over his condition of yesterday. He is resting well considering the severe shock sustained. Reports state that the entire left side is paralyzed resulting from an apoplectic stroke.

W. F. Holly has accepted a position at Muscle Shoals.

Woody Harwood of Memphis, Tenn., formerly of Albany was in the Twin Cities on Saturday on business.

G. M. Baker, who belongs to the architectural force for the new Albany high school, was a visitor in the cities today.

W. A. Curry has arrived from Memphis to take up auditing with several of the business houses here.

W. A. Thompson of Ninth street, south, has accepted a position with Henry Ford in his automobile factories at Detroit, Mich. Mrs. Thompson will leave Saturday to join him and they will make Detroit their future home.

Decatur High School Notes

This week was started off in the right way when Dr. Duncan gave the school a very interesting and instructive talk on General Lee.

Tuesday afternoon he is to talk to the Literary Society on Mark Twain.

Miss Rainey's expression class will present a recital Friday night, January 25.

The operetta "Windmills of Holland" will be given in the D. H. S. auditorium Friday night, Feb. 2 by Mrs. Pulliam.

The P. T. A. met Monday afternoon. The banner was given to the 1st grade for getting the most parents out to the meeting.

The school is extremely interested in the bond issue, which will be voted on Jan. 30. The completion of our new high school building depends on this so everyone is working for it.

At the last meeting of the faculty Miss Dale gave a talk on her theory of health and work.

The banner for attendance and punctuality was snatched from the sixth grade, who have held it the past two weeks by the fourth grade. Rivalry is increasing over this banner and it is increasing the efficiency of the school.

Stand for the Truth.
Wait not till you are backed by numbers. Wait not until you are sure of an echo from a crowd. The fewer the voices on the side of truth, the more distinct and strong must be your own.—W. E. Channing.

"Robin Goodfellow."
Robin Goodfellow is another name for Puck, the little scamp in "A Midsummer Night's Dream," who squeezed the magic juice in the eyelids of the Athenian lovers and mixed them all up in their affections.

Peregrines and the Pigeons.
In old times falconry was a royal sport and hawks were trained to lay their kills at their masters' feet; today in India deer are hunted in this way. Sportsmen are just now reviving falconry in this country.

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is a Prescription for Colds, Fever and LaGrippe. It's the most speedy remedy we know, preventing Pneumonia.

Exiled Greek Prince Reaches America



Wearing his trick monocle and collar, Prince Andrew of Greece, accompanied by his wife, has reached New York to join his brother, Prince Christopher, and the latter's wife, Princess Anastasia, who was Mrs. William B. Leeds, widow of the American tinplate king. Prince Andrew has been banished from Greece by a military tribunal, which found the guilty of disobedience of orders while commanding an army corps in Asia Minor. He is a brother of the exiled King Constantine, who died recently. The Princess is a sister of Lord Louis Mountbatten, who recently left America with his bride, the immense ly rich Edwina Ashley. She is related to the ruling family of England.

AGREEMENT NEAR WITH COAL MINERS

(Associated Press.)
NEW YORK, Jan. 23.—The subcommittee of bituminous coal operators and labor union chiefs, considering a new wage agreement to replace that expiring in the tri-state competitive field, April 1, reached an agreement today.

The new agreement will be submitted tomorrow to the whole conference for ratification. If this is forthcoming the probability of a strike will be definitely removed.

Mistrial Entered In Trial of Negro

(Associated Press.)
SELMA, Ala., Jan. 23.—A mistrial was declared last night at 8:30 o'clock in the case of Will Lewis, charged with an attack upon a young woman during the Christmas holidays. The case was given the jury at 4 o'clock. Three witnesses, one of whom was the woman, appeared as state's witnesses. Immediately after the trial the negro was taken to Jefferson county jail.

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., Jan. 23.—Will Lewis, negro, was placed in the Jefferson County jail this morning by Dallas County authorities, following a mistrial in his case at Selma yesterday. Lewis was charged with attacking a young woman. The man was heavily guarded when brought here.

The Old Post Road—1738.
The old road between New York and Albany was, for the greater part of the way, but a rough belt through a virgin forest. Occasionally a farmer had cleared a few acres, the homestead of a manor house were open to the sun, the road was varied by the majesty of Hudson and Palisades for a brief while, or by the precipitous walls of mountains, so thickly wooded that even the wind barely stirred the somber depths.—Cortlandt, N. Y.

Well Supplied.
A prominent politician, although a Scotsman, relates a story against himself and his fellow countrymen. While on a visit to the Canary Islands once he was feeling very lonely and inquired of an official, "Are there many Scotsmen in these parts?" "Not many," was the reply. "Just a few, but quite enough."

High Cost of Dirt.
Tests made in England of men and women in factories working behind dirty windows and the same employees working behind clean windows, reveal an average of from 5 to 15 per cent more efficiency in the latter than in the former. This is because the dirty windows cut off a certain amount of light.

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For many years druggists have watched with much interest the remarkable record maintained by Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, the great kidney, liver and bladder medicine. It is a physician's prescription. Swamp-Root is a strengthening medicine. It helps the kidneys, liver and bladder do the work nature intended they should do. Swamp-Root has stood the test of years. It is sold by all druggists on its merit and it should help you. No other kidney medicine has so many friends.

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HOUSES FOR SALE—Gordon Drive West, \$2,750. 3rd Ave. West, \$1,800. 8th South, \$2,000. 9th St. South, \$2,500. 8th West, \$2,500 and many others on terms.
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BUSINESS—In loans, real estate sales, fire insurance, rents, collections, deeds, mortgages with J. A. Thornhill receive prompt attention.

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FOR SALE—My stock of Groceries and fixtures, a small 8 ft meat box and display refrigerator counter. Apply at 429 West Market Street, Decatur. 22-6t.

WOOD—For stove or fireplace. Well seasoned. Phone Decatur 443. J. Quick Service. 23-6t.

FOR SALE—1 Iron Advance Range, 1 Hoosier Kitchen Cabinet, used only a short time. Will sell for less than half price. Morgan Furniture Co. 23-3t.

COMBINATION CASH REGISTER—With original ribbon, cost \$225.00, will take \$100.00 cash for it. Great bargain. J. A. Thornhill. 22-3t.

FOR SALE—House and two lots. Bargain. Party leaving city. Possession given at once. L. B. Wyatt & Sons. 22-3t.

FOR SALE—One mare, buggy and harness cheap. Studebaker top buggy. Apply at 522 Second Ave., Albany, Ala. 22-6t.

EGGS FOR SALE—Setting of 15 for \$1.00. White Leghorn, Ferris strain; satisfaction guaranteed. Also have five White Leghorn Cockerels, six months old, \$1.00 each. Bailey & Frazier, Bank Street, Decatur, Ala. 20-3t.

FOR SALE—Galvanized roofing, all lengths. Barret Asphalt Shingles and Rubber Roofing. Prompt delivery. Inquiries solicited. John D. Walker & Son. 15-6t.

FOR SALE OR RENT—8 room house, heated in two apartments. Furnishings, centrally located. Owner leaving town. Quick action desired. Call Mr. Austin. 16-1t.

RESIDENCES in East Town, South Town, West Town, Central Albany and in Austinville, for sale cheap. J. A. Thornhill. Real estate. 15-1t.

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FOR RENT—Room and board. An attractive family for couple. Steam heated house and centrally located. Call Albany 589 W. 23-3t.

FOR RENT—Four room cottage with all modern conveniences in East Albany. Apply 1001, Wadsworth St. Ja. 23-3t.

FOR RENT ON FEB. 1st—Suite of offices now occupied by County Engineer on second floor of Colonial Building. C. E. Malone. 23-8t.

FOR RENT—40-acre farm with 3 room house, barn and water. About 1 mile South Austinville at \$250.00. J. A. THORNHILL.

FOR RENT—New apartment, 4 rooms with private bath, steam heat and hot water furnished. All outside rooms. Address P. O. Box 474 Albany, Ala. 20-3t.

FOR RENT—Store No. 414, Bank Street, Decatur. Apply to W. G. Henry, 1015 So. 12th St., Birmingham, Ala. 17-6t.

LOST AND FOUND

STRAYED—Dark Brown Dehorned Jersey Cow, small and fat, information leading to return of cow will be rewarded. Phone Albany 215. Jan. 22. 3t.

STRAYED—Large red muley cow, if located please notify H. D. Bynum, Courtland, Ala., or F. S. Harris, Phone 110, Decatur. 22-3t.

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WANTED—To crate your furniture or do your carpenter work. Guarantee satisfactory work. Prices reasonable. Call 314 J or 167 Albany. 23-3t.

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MISCELLANEOUS

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POLLY AND HER PALS



NEWS OF ATHENS AND LIMESTONE COUNTY

Dr. Henry M. Edmonds, pastor of the Independent Presbyterian church, of Birmingham, arrived this afternoon for a series of services at the Athens Presbyterian church. Dr. Edmonds is well known in Athens, having spoken here before and it is expected that his logical and forceful sermons will draw great congregations during the week. Dr. E. T. Orr of Humboldt, Tenn., who was to direct the music for these services, has been detained at home on account of much sickness and the death of members of his congregation.

The stockholders of the Limestone County Fair Association met in their

annual session this morning in the Commercial Club Room in the courthouse. The following directors were elected: M. A. Phillips, R. H. Walker, T. E. Gilbert, A. J. Grisham, P. Patterson, Sims Carter, C. O. Johnson, H. B. Malone, Will James, Geo. Witty, C. W. Sarver, J. W. Tiller, G. M. Jacobs, Ernest Hine, W. P. Holland, Dr. J. S. Crutcher, W. B. Anderson, R. L. Nichols, and A. Bauwette. The Directors will meet Saturday morning, January 28th, to elect officers for this year. The Fair Association made great success with the fair last year and the officers were greatly praised.

Dr. Frank P. Culver, of Ft. Worth, Tex., Presiding Elder of the Ft. Worth District of the Central Texas Conference, was a pleasant visitor in the home of Dr. R. T. Tyler, pastor of the First Methodist church here, during the last days of last week. He preached a very inspiring sermon to a large congregation of Dr. Tyler's people at the morning hour last Sunday. The Methodist here say that Dr. Culver, is "fine bignon timber." He came near being promoted to this high position last year, and his friends are hoping that he will be successful at the next conference.

The Men's Bible class of the First Baptist church here are pulling off a unique banquet this week. This large class of men have issued cordial invitations to more than fifty members of the Women's Bible class of the church to attend a banquet at the church on Thursday evening of this week, the banquet to be served by the men. The men are to bring the ladies in cars, serve on the reception committee, serve the tables, give the program, and make it a great occasion for the women.

Liquor Thieves Make a Rich Haul

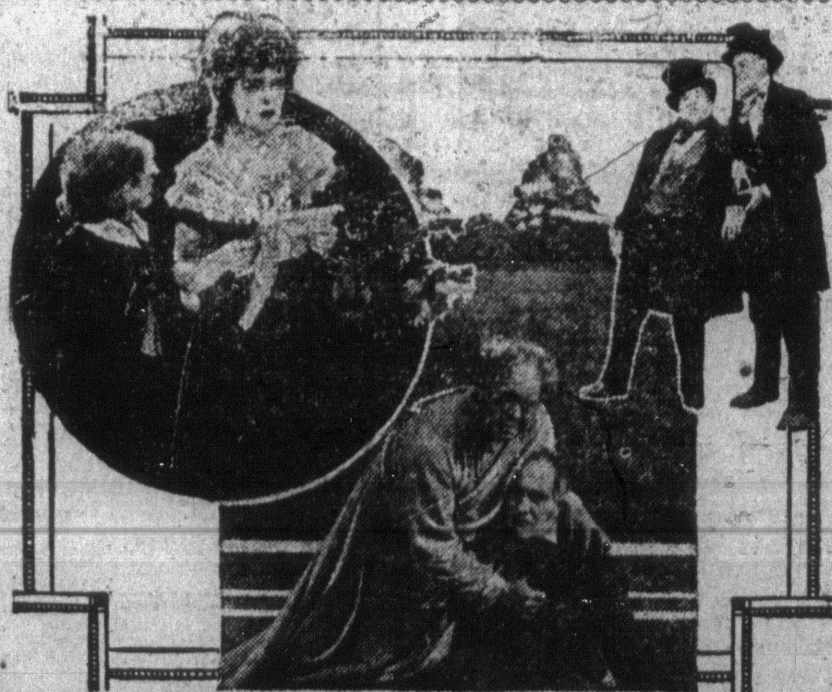
(Associated Press.)

CHICAGO, Jan. 23.—Twelve armed liquor thieves raided a West Randolph street building early today, bound and gagged a watchman and a newsboy, drilled through a vault, and stole 400 cases of whiskey, according to police reports.

The whiskey was the property of the Sunnybrook Distilling company. The manager said the vault contained 461 cases, valued at \$14,750, although the bootleg value probably would be five times that figure.

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SCENE FROM "THE PRODIGAL JUDGE"

The most lovable characters of fiction are found in Vaughan Kester's world-famous novel, "The Prodigal Judge." All the quaint picturesqueness of the story has been maintained in the picture. The characters were selected with great care, and the finished production has been termed "The Rembrandt of the screen." Jean Paige, Maclyn Arbuckle, Ernest Torrence and Charles Eaton head the all star cast under the direction of Edward Jose.

Pa's Not to be Flattered

By Cliff Sterrett.

New York Letter

by Lucy Jeanne Price



NEW YORK, January 23.—The newest custom among New York society divorcees, who have remarried, is the retaining of both husbands' names, separated by a hyphen. It was a bit startling at first, but it has actually become a sufficiently usual practice so that it is accepted without exclamation.

We are a city of monologuers, who talk aloud to ourselves on the streets, according to some of our visitors from out of town. No one seems to know the exclamation. Certainly solitude hasn't driven us to that mode of expression, as it is said to do to men on the deserts. We are surrounded by people on every side, and above and below us. But we go along the streets, say those who survey us with the eye of a stranger, discussing our ideas, our affairs and our feelings in perfectly audible tones addressed only to ourselves. Maybe it is a natural thing—this kind of talking—and that man reverts to it only when he is in complete solitude, where there is no one to hear and criticize or in a crowded city where no one pays any attention to what you do—except some strangers from away.

It begins to look as if New York were going to take a big step in wiping out one prevailing sort of injustice. For years some one has pointed out every once in a while, the serious evil of our congested courts, which means that it often takes two whole years to get a decision in a case. Sometimes a whole family's welfare, actual sustenance, even, depends upon that decision and had to suffer during its pending. The condition is more or less true all over the country. Finally, a few weeks ago, one man decided that it was time to take some action that would lead to relief, instead of simply saying how terrible it all was. So L. Montefiore Levy, a prominent attorney here, started out to find the relief. He got the public interested through statements of actual conditions and then formed a committee of representative lawyers and business men to make an investigation of possible means of relief and

The Absent-Minded Professor.
The professor was deeply absorbed in some scientific subject when the nurse announced the arrival of a boy. "What—who?" stammered the professor absently. "Why interrupt me— isn't my wife at home?"

Bad Man to Tackle.
"The man who hates to fight," said Jud Tunkins, "can usually be depended on when forced into a fight to work as hard as he knows how to get it over with."

which one looks and has a perfect illusion of reality, because the flat surfaces are given a third dimension.

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NOTICE!

All members of Funeral Benefit Association, Council No. 1, on account of the death of L. J. Speer, Jr., claim No. 39, amount \$621, will be paid to Mrs. L. L. Speer.

Assessment No. 40 is now due and must be paid by January 31, 1923.

R. L. WOODS, President.
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